

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Alice M. Batchelder
Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals
Potter Stewart U.S. Courthouse
100 East Fifth Street
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

FROM: U.S. District Judge R. Allan Edgar

SUBJECT: Advance Authorization for Investigative, Expert or Other Services

It is requested that authorization be granted to obtain services in an amount in excess of the maximum allowed under the provisions of subsection (e)(3) of the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, as follows:

Case Name & Designation: USA vs. Gerald Wayne Phillips - Case No. 4:04-cr-29

Name of Expert or Investigator: Marc Lawrence with Professional Legal Investigations

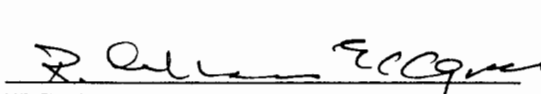
Address: 1010 Market Street, Suite 204, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37402.

Type of Expert: Investigative Services to interview out of state witnesses in Gadsden, Alabama; Kelso, Texas; and Rainbow City, Alabama.

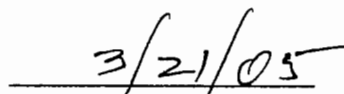
Reason for Application: On February 18, 2005, the Court approved expenses up to \$1,600 under 18 U.S.C. § 3006 (A)(e)(3) (Ct. File No. 36). The reason for the application is set out in the attached Ex Parte Motion for Additional Fees for Investigator. Counsel for defendant has advised further investigation and interpreter services will require an additional cost of \$2,000.00 for a total approved amount of \$3,600.00.

Estimated Compensation. \$3,600.00

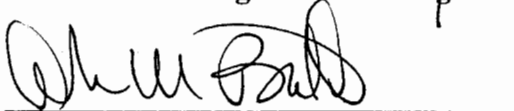
I certify that the estimated compensation in excess of the maximum set forth in subsection (e)(3) of the Criminal Justice Act appears necessary to provide fair compensation for services of an unusual character or duration and therefore recommend approval of this authorization in the amount of an additional \$2,000.00



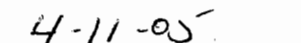
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